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Board of Trade Banquet Tuesday, February 20th.

Professor Corbett Guest Speaker

Local Chautauqua in April

The date of the Board of Trade Banquet has been changed and will be held in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, February 20th at seven o'clock. The catering for the banquet will be done by the Ladies Aid of the United Church.

Professor E. A. Corbett, Director of Extension University of Alberta, will give an illustrated lecture on French Scenes in Canadian Life. All members and their wives are expected to be present.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Trade was held in the fire hall on Tuesday afternoon. President Frank Colliott presided.

It was decided to hold the monthly meetings on the first Thursday of each month.

The Board of Trade will sponsor a local two day Chautauqua with four programs. The date has not been set as yet, but is to be early in April. H. R. Fitzpatrick and G. Y. McLean have taken on the heavy task of producing the programs, while committees will be appointed to look after other details. Full particulars will be given in next week's issue.

W. J. Wood Elected

Milk and Meat Inspection By-Laws Endorsed by Ratepayers

Wm. Wood was elected to the Council on Monday, having a majority of 27 over his opponent J. A. Emery. 87 votes were polled which is the largest in the history of the Village.

The Council for 1934 will comprise: J. M. Williams, C. Aemussen and Wm. Wood.

The Milk and Meat Inspection By-Laws were passed with large majorities.

The result of the voting is as follows:

For Councillor	
Wm. Wood	57
J. A. Emery	30
Meat Inspection	
For	61
Against	22
Milk Inspection	
For	56
Against	26

Police Court News

Clarence Casey loaned his license plates to Ernie Sharp, and while Ernie was in Calgary, Mrs. Casey wanted to go places, and applied to the police for permission to operate their car without plates. This information given to the police proved very costly for all concerned, as Constable Cameron, had to enforce the law, and forthwith laid a charge against Mr. Casey for loaning his plates, and a charge against Ernie Sharp for borrowing the plates, and also a further charge against Sharp for driving his car without proper plates.

They appeared before Magistrate Gordon on Monday morning and pleaded guilty. Casey being fined \$5.00 and costs, and Sharp \$5.00 on each count and costs.

Tom Priest appeared before A. W. Gordon on Friday charged with an infraction of the Liquor Act. The case was remanded until Friday next at 2 p.m. as the dry squad who laid the charge asked for an adjournment.

Constable Cameron is a busy man these days checking up on car licenses.

Ed. Clark to Build Service Station

Ed. Clark has purchased the corner lot opposite the Service Garage on Main Street, and will shortly erect thereon a fireproof service station.

Annual School Meeting

The annual meeting of the Crossfield School District will be held in the Fire Hall on Monday, February 19th at 2 p.m.

Native Sons and Daughters Festivity a Huge Success

By Eye Witness

Friday last, February 9th, the Crossfield and District Native Sons and Daughters, held their annual get-together round-up and they are to be congratulated on the excellence of this affair.

As one entered the hall, one was struck by the warmth and gaiety of the entire atmosphere, the hall being tastefully decorated for the occasion, and was resplendent in red, white and blue streamers, bunting and flags, while over the orchestra platform was a canopy also done in red, white and blue, transforming the old hall into a fairland of gaiety and romance.

The Melody Boys, who dispensed the music, were at their best, and away into the wee small hours of the morning. Youths and maidens, tripped the light fantastic, with great vim and vigour, till it seemed to all, that Home Sweet Home had come all too soon.

Those responsible for the entertainment, the refreshments, the decorations, the programme, are indeed to be congratulated, for the excellent way in which everything was carried out, and also in the wise choice they made in appointing Glen Williams, Master of Ceremonies, he, carrying out the dancing part of the program very efficiently.

Assisting on the program, were the MacDougall family of Calgary, consisting of father, two sons, and a daughter, and also a brother Marshall MacDougall.

Marshall MacDougall made a great hit in his Harry Lauder number, and also in his comic and musical stunts at the piano with his brother Hugh.

The junior members of the MacDougalls, are all clever artists, and the dancing of Dan and Irvine were greatly appreciated, as the aerobic dance number of Miss Isabel, and each artist had to respond to repeated encores.

The Farrel Bros. of Carstairs, in vocal and guitar duets were also well received and responded to an encore.

Mr. H. Fitzpatrick, Mr. W. Gibson and G. Y. McLean were the local artists on the program, and were treated in a like manner to the outside entertainers, all being given encores.

Mr. R. T. Amery was the accompanist for the evening, and she carried out her part in her usual efficient manner.

All in all it was a delightful evening, and its too bad evenings of this nature do not occur oftener. Congratulations once again N. S. & D's. every one of you.

Canadian Legion Hold Successful Social

Wednesday evening, February 7th the Crossfield Branch of the Canadian Legion, entertained in the annex of the Oliver Hotel in honour of Comrade Major, who together with his wife and son leaves here shortly for England.

The first part of the evening was given over to cards, and ten tables of bridge were successfully employed. The winners at cards were Mrs. S. H. McClelland and Mr. J. Cumming, while consolation prizes went to Miss Edith Seville and Mr. A. A. Halliday.

At 11 p.m. a tasty and lavish supper was served, followed by a presentation to Comrade Major, and a short program.

In a few well chosen words President D. J. Hall, expressed the regrets of all, in the leaving of the company and help of Comrade Major, but hoped in his new venture he would be successful and that if he ever came back to this district he was assured of a very warm welcome. A token of the esteem in which Comrade Major was held was given him in tangible form. Comrade Major suitably replied.

The following took part in the program: Mrs. Allan Montgomery, Messrs D. J. Hall, G. Y. McLean, A. Cruickshank, C. Shiedel, M. Ferguson, V. Major, with Mrs. R. T. Amery as accompanist.

The singing of the National Anthem brought a jolly evening to a close.

Week-End Specials....

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Evidence Leads To Belief That There Is A Gradual Recession Of The Ice Caps At The Earth's Poles

Science is at it again, this time taking away the reputation of the Arctic. That resort is getting warmer. Not much, it is true, but give it time—geologic time, that is. Recently it was discovered that the Cornell glacier, in Greenland, which in 1896 was four hundred miles north of the Arctic Circle, is now about three-fifths of a mile farther forward. Further it was found that in tundra districts of our northern forest line is advancing at the rate of one mile a century.

However, it will be quite some time before skating will have to be abandoned, for there is a matter of five million square miles of ice at the Antarctic and 1,000,000 in the North, and, anyway, scientists give it a considered opinion that we are now living in the Quaternary ice age, which began about 600,000 years ago. They add, just in case there are some laymen who consider this ice at the poles and elsewhere as a settled fact, that there have been various ice ages and between times there are mild intervals which are measured by tens of millions of years.

When the ice melts it will mean a lot of increase in the oceans and perhaps in the lakes, and there is even danger that some sections of the earth will be completely submerged. But there is no need yet to build rafts. People dwelling in these parts, however, have no particular difficulty in looking forward for they have evidences all about them of times long before this geological age, in the old lake shores, in glacial remains, and in fossils that bespeak a time of vast greennesses where the white silence of the North now reigns.—Winnipeg Free Press.

A New Milking Apparatus

Inventor Secures Patents On Non-Splittable Milk Pail

The new sanitary, non-splittable milk pail which, according to its inventor, Charles O. Gysler, 37, will have "Bosonic" handles, was explained to newspaper men at Winnipeg. When friend cow feels the urge to spill the milk with a well placed kick, it will be just wasted effort, Gysler said.

Patents on the invention have already been secured at Washington. Gysler stated one United States manufacturing firm considers the patents worth \$25,000 to them.

An inset chamber on top of the milk pail is the secret behind the revolutionary milking apparatus. After filling the chamber with water, Gysler demonstrated the "holding power" of his pail by kicking it across the room. No water was spilled.

Poultry On The Prairies

Nearly Half Of The Poultry Of Canada In Prairie Provinces

That the prairies are appreciating the poultry route is being recognized, says the Dominion poultry husbandman, for in three years the poultry population of the three prairie provinces increased over four million, and in 1931 nearly one half of Canada's poultry was upon the prairies. In the whole of Canada there is only one province—Ontario—that has more poultry than Saskatchewan and Alberta. Of the millions of bushels of grain consumed by poultry each year, nearly one half of it is fed in these three provinces. Saskatchewan alone has nearly as many head of poultry as the provinces of Prince Edward Island, British Columbia, and Quebec combined.

Could Use Seven Million

British Columbia building requirements for provincial purposes alone in the next five years will be not less than \$7,000,000, an unofficial survey conducted at the legislative buildings revealed. No such program could be financed by the province unaided, however, it was stated.

"Last week a grain of sand got into my wife's eye and she had to go to a doctor. It cost me ten 'bills'."

"That's nothing. Last week a fur coat got in my wife's eye and at once she got 100 guineas."

To be recently made a fashion show that typists make is being as 80,000 get strokes in an ordinary business day.

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Medium For Peace

League Of Nations Still Best Instrument To Prevent War

International co-operation through the League of Nations is the world's best medium for peace, declared Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta, in a recent statement. "The league was in existence. Its machinery was adequate but education was needed to enlist the co-operation of the nations."

Before the Great War nations endeavored to maintain peace by the balance of power. This method failed as did other makeshifts to humankind was through treaty-signing. After the war the world tried a new system, that of collective action. The League of Nations was established to settle disputes by law and arbitration, but was handicapped through the refusal of the United States to join.

The machinery for world-wide peace was established, said Dr. Wallace, but education was needed to force its use. Several issues had to be faced—how could nations be assured of reasonable room for expansion and growth; how could they have equality; how could different standards of living and value be adjusted? These problems must be faced in the spirit of collective endeavor, on no other foundation can permanent peace be maintained.



By Ruth Rogers



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SPRING ATTACK BY JAPAN WILL FIND SOVIET READY



That war with Japan is regarded as almost inevitable this coming spring is indicated by reports reaching London that the Soviet Government is concentrating large supplies of food, munitions and aircraft at Vladivostok, the Russian seaport that is only 700 miles from Tokyo. Commensal of War, Clemence Voroshilov, (top, right), is reported to have been utilizing the Trans-Siberian Railroad for many months for the transportation of men and munitions to the port that it is believed would be the first objective of a Japanese attack. Observers say the torch that may fire the magazine may be the coronation of Henry Pu-Yi (lower right), as emperor of the Japanese controlled state of Manchuria, May 1. In announcing he would follow the policies of his predecessor, General Sadao Araki, the new Japanese Minister of War, General Senjuro Hayashi (top, left), is believed to have dispelled the hopes of peace that were born with Araki's resignation.

Vitamin C In Apples

Study Shows Baldwin Is Rich In This Respect

The Massachusetts Experimental Station has recently started a study of the vitamin contents of the leading apples of the northeast.

Information on the Baldwin and McIntosh varieties has been published which shows that the Baldwin is a rich source of vitamin C, while the McIntosh supplies very little of this important food supplement. Spraying with lime sulphur and arsenate of lead had no effect on the vitamin content. Fresh cider from the Baldwin was found about one-half as valuable as the fruit itself, while pasteurized or benzonated cider lost practically all its value. Fresh apple sauce, both strained and unstrained, while lower than the juice in vitamins, was useful, but in canned apple sauce vitamin C is practically destroyed.

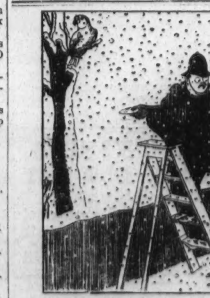
Olive Growers Worried

Afraid Oil From This Year's Crop Will Exceed Demand

Spanish olive growers predict a large surplus of olive oil from this year's crop, which is one of the largest in history. The 71,530 square miles of Spain which are covered with olive orchards will produce in excess of 1,000,000 tons of oil, according to department of agriculture estimates. This is over 300,000 tons in excess of last year and nearly five times as much as five years ago.

Since the domestic consumption is hardly more than a quarter of a million tons, and since only about one-fourth of the excess can be exported, if the growers hope to show a legitimate profit the situation is causing much well founded worry to Spanish olive growers.

For years after its establishment the London Times was looked upon as of less consequence than the printing house in London to which it was an adjunct.



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Agricultural Notes

Little Items Of Information Of Interest To The Farmer

Moles, mice, shrews, and skunks are useful to man in destroying insect pests of lawns, gardens, and orchards.

Spraying with mustard with a 2 1/2 per cent. solution of copper sulphate gave excellent results last season in the field husbandry work of the Dominion Experimental Station at L'Assomption, P.Q.

In egg yolk there is a fat-like substance known as lecithin which contains the most readily digestible form of the phosphorus so essential to brain development and activity.

In India wheat is a cool weather crop. It is not sown until the temperature of the soil drops after the hot weather.

The re-seeding of abandoned lands has been the subject of a number of trials at the Dominion range station at Manyberries, Alberta. In these lands created wheat grass has been grown with the best results.

According to Canadian Customs returns during the month of December last, 17,857,963 bushels of wheat, valued at \$11,390,356 were exported from Canada.

The prairie provinces in 1931 had two and a half times as many turkeys as all the rest of Canada.

A yield of 65 bushels per acre was obtained with Alaska oats at the Dominion Experimental Station at La Ferme, P.Q.

There was only 233 of a difference between the number of hogs graded in Canada during the first four weeks of this year and last. In 1933, 245,660 hogs were graded up to January 25th, and the number for the corresponding four weeks of this year was 243,913.

The motorist had run into a man with his car, but had not injured him much.

Motorist: "Here's five shillings. Are you satisfied?"

Victim: "Quite. But tell me, when will you be this way again?"



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Graphic Description Is Given Of Conquest Of Mount Everest By Intrepid British Aviators

England Fighting Potato Bug

Common Colorado Beetle Is Giving Farmers Considerable Trouble

The Colorado beetle or potato bug, which made its appearance in some parts of the United Kingdom this past summer and caused damage to the potato crops and led to a campaign being begun for its extermination, is still causing uneasiness.

It has not been disposed of by any means, and in preparation for next season's attack on the crops it is digging itself in' in a manner that is somewhat upsetting to potato growers.

Tilbury, Essex, is the scene of the beetle's latest exploits, according to reports. While ministry of agriculture officials were sterilizing the soil near the docks, they found four beetles at a depth of two feet. The spot was near the allotment on which beetles were found in August following the discovery by a ministry official of a crushed beetle in the roadway.

Officials of the ministry have been at Tilbury for some time in connection with the matter. When the presence of the beetle is suspected, sporadic digging is carried out. If the hibernating insect is discovered, the whole adjoining land is fumigated with carbon disulphide, injected by a kind of glorified hypodermic syringe.

One of the men who has been fighting the beetle under the direction of the ministry said he had been occupied off and on, since last August. "We found several specimens in different places," he said.

Idea Worth Imitating

Rhode Island School Children Interested In Planting Trees

Rhode Island is experimenting with a novel reforestation plan which will have many imitators if public funds ever again become available for such things. It is an idea deserving to be on file for future use.

On five acres of land donated to the town the school children of West Greenwich are planting 4,500 trees donated by the State Forestry Association. An expert forester bosses the planting job.

Thus will a new forest be planted, children schooled in forestry and the aims of reforestation brought home to an entire community. The school children will plant and cultivate their forest and protect it from insect enemies, and will go out into the world knowing more than their parents about trees.

With the constantly increasing importance of reforestation the school forest idea constitutes a practical contribution to rural education. Without involving a large expenditure of public funds it furnishes an opportunity for public spirited citizens to make a real contribution to their community and to posterity.

Canadian Wall Paper

Exports Are High To Several Countries Including Japan

There must be a very large number of homes in the United Kingdom whose interior decoration is Canadian wall paper, for the export of that commodity to Great Britain is a large one every month. In December, for example, it was 53,000 rolls. The same may be said of Australia and New Zealand, whither 32,000 rolls went. Japan uses considerable Canadian wall paper and the fact that Italy does also—the country of all countries that appeals to us as a nation of artists—is testimony to the standard of that product of the Dominion. The December export was 819,582 rolls, compared with 66,768 in December, 1932. The 1933 export of 819,582 rolls was somewhat less than in 1932.

Jury Fined For Verdict

Because they acquitted Thomas Cavanaugh on charges of running a numbers game, Philadelphia jurors were deprived of pay for their services. The jury fees for the ten men and two women amounted to \$21 each. "This is a miscarriage of justice," Judge Walsh remarked, "and a disgrace to yourselves, as well as to the community. Because of your outrageous verdict, I am going to discharge you from further service and fine you your whole pay."

Greater London now claims a population of 8,202,213.

Although British aviators have conquered the roof of the world, soaring above Mount Everest in one of the most dangerous of earthly adventures, the 29,000 feet of towering rock in the lofty Himalayas will still lure daring men with a new challenge resulting from that intrepid conquest last April, Air Commodore P. F. M. Fellowes, D.S.O., A.D.C., told an audience of more than 1,000 at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

Commodore Fellowes, who was leader of the Houston-Mount Everest expedition which sent two British aeroplanes over the hitherto uncharted mountain, spoke under the joint auspices of the Canadian Geological Society and the Ottawa Women's Canadian Club at the only lecture he will give in Canada.

Pointing to a tiny black patch on the rugged map of Mount Everest as seen in a vertical photograph taken in the famous flight, Commodore Fellowes said geologists who had studied the spot had decided it must indicate a lake of hot water in a region of rock, ice and snow. This was indeed a lure to attract explorers in the future, he predicted, to prove or disprove the geologists' theory.

Using a series of remarkable still photographs and several reels of motion pictures, Commodore Fellowes carried his audience along every step of the expedition, from the preparatory stages in England in November, 1932, to the return of the two planes after their successful flight over Everest on April 2.

Months were spent in studying weather conditions, ascertaining the last possible day on which a flight could be made with a possibility of seeing the mountain clear of clouds. Elaborate preparations were made to safeguard the personnel against the 50 below zero at 30,000 feet above sea level. Each man wore a heavily padded uniform, equipped with oxygen supply, a microphone for talking to his mates, and lined with electric wires for heat.

Observers, while clad in this paraphernalia, which made a man feel as if he had pulled a heavy sack over his head, had to use pictures when standing in a 120-mile-an-hour wind, holding in their hands an 18-pound camera.

Political difficulties were overcome through the co-operation of the Maharajah of Nepal, who gave permission for the expedition to fly over his little-known country, and the aviators were scrupulous in obeying the instructions of the secretary of state for India not to fly further into Tibet than was absolutely necessary because of the fears of the people of that land over such enterprises.

Commodore Fellowes summarized the reasons for the flight as the pleasure of a pleasant adventure, the desire to conquer the last of earth's great geological obstacles, the need for a survey of the southern approaches to Everest, for information concerning aerial disturbances in the vicinity, and for some good pictures.

Prizes For Quality Bacon

Canadian Chambers Of Commerce Urged To Encourage Better Grade

Regina Board of Trade has put its shoulder behind the Canadian bacon hog policy and is offering a trophy for the best winter bacon litter from the Regina zone, and is offering prize money of \$50 added to the regular classification for the best group of three hogs at the Regina fall show and the champion boar and sow, if from the Regina zone. In addition to this they are suggesting to the Chambers of Commerce that there be united action by Boards of Trade for the bacon hog policy, and that each Board of Trade sponsor similar encouragement in its own locality.

New Swimming Equipment

An inventor in France has designed equipment to enable man to swim like a fish. The invention consists of a couple of paddles attached to the hands, each covering an elliptical surface of 40 inches square, and a paddle, double the area, attached to the feet.

A man in Mexico who, at 108, has perfect digestive organs is said to have eaten only donkey meat all his life.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Approximately \$15,000,000 would be required for a works program to meet British Columbia's employment demands, Premier T. D. Pattullo announced.

Capt. D'Arcy Martin, of Victoria, has been named sergeant-at-arms in the British Columbia legislature. It was announced by H. G. Perry of Prince George, the speaker-designate.

The decision of Mr. Speaker Black to stop women knitting in the galleries while listening to debates in the house of commons was taken as a blow at the yarn making industry by one company.

Senator Raoul Dandurand, K.C., former president of the assembly of the League of Nations, has been named president of the University of Montreal. He succeeds Senator F. L. Belue, who died Sept. 1, 1933.

Establishment of a birth control clinic in Winnipeg will be the aim of the Winnipeg Birth Control society as soon as funds permit, a meeting of the organization here was told by Mrs. W. F. Osborne, chairman of the society.

"Time is running against the friends of disarmament," warned Sir John Simon, secretary for foreign affairs, before a crowded and deeply attentive house of commons as he initiated a full-dress debate on disarmament.

Amos Williams, 76, veteran of the Northwest Rebellion of 1885 and staff-sergeant of the famed 90th Winnipeg Rifles (Little Belts Division), until a few years ago, died in Winnipeg recently. Mr. Williams came to Manitoba 37 years ago from Cornwall, Eng. William Williams of Moose Jaw is a son.

Deal With Hoppers

Says Farmers Should Observe Instructions Of Entomologists

Wheat acreage reduction in the next crop year would offer no difficulties if the farmers in the grasshopper-plagued sections observe the instructions of the entomologists, assisting them in fighting this plague, Hon. W. M. Aseltine, Rose-town, told the senate.

"The farmers have been advised not to attempt wheat seeding in areas over which the insects laid their eggs last fall, and that area would constitute more than would be necessary to achieve the 15 per cent. acreage reduction, he said.

Good For All Time

Silver tickets 176 years old and good for all time are still used by their holders as passes to the best seats in Britain's oldest theatre, it has been revealed. This playhouse is not in London, as might be supposed, but is the Theatre Royal, at Bristol. The silver tickets, admitting the bearer to any performance were presented to subscribers when the house was inaugurated in 1766, and mostly have been handed down to their descendants.

"There is no instrument in my hand," says a well known orchestra leader, "that I cannot play equally as well as the player himself." He seems pretty good on his own trumpet, too.

Cambridge university, in England, is starting a loan fund for poor students.

Woman's Weakness



W. N. O. 2033

Planning Huge Stadium

Germany Getting Ready For Olympic Games Of 1936

Germany is rebuilding for the Olympic Games of 1936 the great stadium which was constructed for the Olympics of 1916, cancelled because of the war.

Werner March, son of the original builder, is in charge of remodeling the huge arena in the Grunewald, just outside of Berlin, and plans to make it more complete even than the Los Angeles stadium.

It is planned that the main stadium will be surrounded by a tennis court, a cycling ground and a swimming pool, with accommodations for 440,000 spectators. Furthermore, a ground for equestrian sports will be erected. A home for athletes, to be called "The House of German Sports," is also planned, as well as buildings with social centres for the athletes participating at the 1936 games.

In issuing orders for the reconstruction, Chancellor Hitler declared: "Germany receives herewith a sports arena the equal of which has never been seen anywhere in the world." The German sports commissioner, Von Tschammer-Osten and the minister of interior, Wilhelm Frick, have full powers for conducting construction work. The money needed for the purpose has already been appropriated by the ministry of finance.

If all is achieved as foreseen the German Olympic-Stadium for 1936, it is claimed, will be the greatest and most practical sports centre in the world.



By Ruth Rogers



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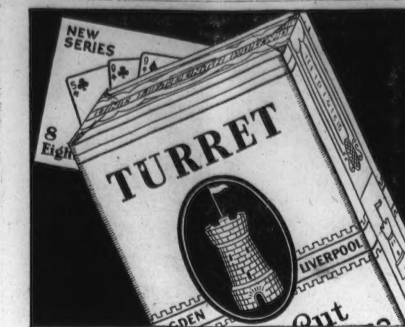
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NEON

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Flashlight messages in brilliant hues across the skies, neon signs have in recent years become a familiar sight in almost every community. They receive their name from the gas, neon, which is used in their manufacture, and which is one of a rare family known as the inert gases.

Neon was discovered in 1904 by Sir William Ramsay, an English chemist, but it was not used extensively for commercial purposes until the last decade. It is obtained from the air, where it is found in small amounts, namely in the ratio of twelve parts of neon to one million parts of air. Its chief uses are for illumination and for testing spark plugs in gas engines.

Neon signs consist of glass tubes containing small quantities of the gas. An electric current is passed through the tube, causing the neon to become incandescent. The glow produced by neon is found to penetrate fog much more clearly than ordinary white light, and hence it is used extensively in England to guide traffic during fogs. At the Lympne aerodrome in England, on the London-Paris air route, there are huge beacons made by passing neon through glass tubes twenty feet long, and producing an illumination of six thousand candle-power.

In testing spark plugs of gas engines, tubes containing neon are used, as brilliant pink-orange glow is showing when the spark plugs are in order.

Neon is known as an "inert" gas because it belongs to a family of elements which have neither color nor odor, and do not combine with any other elements. Helium, used extensively for inflating balloons and dirigibles is another member of this family. Argon, used commercially for filling the best types of light bulbs is another inert gas. Less well-known members of the same family are krypton and xenon.

Teaching By Radio

Ontario Considering Idea To Benefit Rural District Schools

School teaching by radio is under consideration by the Ontario government, it is learned at Queen's Park, Toronto. Under a proposal of Teachers' Federation, special courses will be broadcast from Toronto for the particular benefits of public schools in outlying rural districts.

The proposal contemplates co-operation between the provincial government and the federal Radio Commission in arranging and distributing the broadcasts, with installation of receiving sets a matter for local school boards.

Instruction by recognized authorities would be given in such subjects as music and history, with the object of extending throughout the province advantages now open to scholars in only the larger centres.

A Logical Conclusion

Colds have their "seasons" in England, the peak periods being January and February, April and May, and September and October, according to statistics recently issued. We presume that during the other six months you just wear the "sniffles."

Eggs exported from Finland to Britain in a recent week weighed 13 tons.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CELERY CROQUETTES

- 2 1/2 cups celery, cut fine
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 1/2 tablespoons flour
- 1 1/2 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 egg yolk
- Salt and pepper
- Crumbs and egg.

Cook the celery in boiling salted water to which has been added the sugar. Drain very thoroughly. Make a white sauce of the milk, flour and butter. Season with salt and pepper. Add the celery and the slightly beaten egg yolk to the sauce. Mix well. Spread on a plate to cool. Form into small croquettes. Dip in crumbs, egg and crumbs again. Fry in deep fat. Drain.

COCONUT BRAMBLES

- 2 cups sifted cake flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup cream
- 2 tablespoons milk
- 2 teaspoons combination baking powder
- 4 egg whites
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 3/4 teaspoon almond extract
- 1 cup blackberry jelly
- Molasses, sweetened coconut.

Sift flour once, measure, add salt and 1/2 cup sugar, and sift again. Add cream, milk and baking powder to egg whites, and beat with rotary egg beater until mixture thickens; then add flavoring and remaining sugar. Fold in flour gently. Bake in two greased pans, 8x8x2 inches, in moderate oven (325 degrees F.) 25 minutes, or until done. Cool. Put layers together with blackberry jelly, cut into 2-inch square or diamond-shaped pieces, cover with frosting and sprinkle with coconut. Makes 25.

Man Of The Future

Authority On Evolution Predicts A Sad Looking Specimen

Man, 500,000 years from now will be 10 feet tall and have X-ray eyes, in the opinion of Dr. Desiderius Papp, German authority on evolution. In a book published in London, Dr. Papp predicts that the human being will be a sad-looking specimen. His head will be massive and hairless, there will be no teeth and the lips will be thin and pale. Dr. Papp thinks the brain by then will be able to transmit and receive electro-magnetic waves like a radio, and the eyes will be able to see through things like an X-ray.

South Africa expects an auto boom.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 18

JESUS' POWER TO HELP

Golden Text: "I desire mercy, and not sacrifice; for I came not to call the righteous, but sinners" Matthew 9:13.

Lesson: Matthew 8:1-9:34.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 35:1-6.

Explanations And Comments

Jesus Came Not to Call the Righteous, But Sinners, 9:10-13. How could Matthew better honor his new-found Master than by letting his friends know him, too? He invited Jesus and others with a feast in his house (Lk. 5:29). As Jesus reclined at table, many publicans and sinners entered and sat with Jesus and the disciples. "Publicans and sinners" are often classed together in the Gospels. The word "sinners" in this context does not necessarily mean evil men; more often it means men who fall to perform the stated rites required by the religious leaders. The Pharisees regarded with greater abhorrence a man who transgressed the traditions of the scribes than a man of immoral life. Pharisees were also uninvited guests at the feast. It was customary for invited guests to present themselves at feasts as on-lookers and even to engage in conversation with the guests. The Pharisees at once found fault with Jesus complaining to the disciples that their Master ate with publicans and sinners. Jesus answered for the disciples: "They that are whole have no need of a physician, but they that are sick." The force of this argument is, of course, that as a physician labors among the sick, so the Pharisees must labor among sinners. The Pharisees kept the words of their Scriptures, but they failed to apply them when they did not know their true meaning, and Jesus rebuked them, saying, "Go ye and learn what this meaneth, I desire mercy and not sacrifice"—a quotation from Hosea 6:6. The Pharisees were particular not to eat with publicans and sinners lest they break one of their ceremonial laws, but they would not allow them a kindness: they cared for sacrifice, the externals of their religion, and not for mercy, the religious spirit. "For I came not to call the righteous"—and the Pharisees deemed themselves righteous—"but sinners."

Gold Found In Meteorite

Proof That They Have Same Origin As Earth

A 60-pound meteorite which Harvey H. Nininger, meteorologist of the Colorado Museum of Natural History, bought from a Melrose, New Mexico, farmer for \$1, has been found to contain the precious yellow metal, the scientist has disclosed. It assayed \$12 to the ton. "It's the first time," Nininger said, "that gold has ever been found in a meteorite although some iron meteorites previously were discovered to contain platinum. Its practical significance, perhaps, is its indication that meteorites have the same origin as the earth."

Insult Means Prison

From one to two years' imprisonment will be meted to those who publicly insult authorities, public bodies or institutions, if a bill recently introduced at The Hague is passed. Dr. Van Schaik, the minister of justice, has explained that insults to authorities and to certain groups of persons has been increasing greatly, and often public order is endangered.

Yes, life is a puzzle, but isn't it fun to work it?

New York's Milk Consumption

Average Is Given As Three Million Quarts Daily

New York City's average consumption of milk is about 3,000,000 quarts a day. As the estimated population is 7,218,000, the allowance for every man, woman and child is nearly a pint. Before depression the daily consumption was about 3,500,000 quarts, or very close to a full pint.

Infants are the largest consumers, as the specialists in child hygiene think that approximately a quart a day is required for the well-being of those tender years.

In recent years the consumption of milk had been steadily gaining in the metropolis owing largely to the recommendation of the medical profession and to the high standard of purity enforced by the local board of health.

In the period 1910-4, for instance, the daily per capita allowance for persons of all ages was only a little more than half a pint, and in 1923 it had risen to four-fifths of that measure. The city alone uses each day about 117,000 quarts of cream.

Boat Hits Whale

Wireless Operator Thought Ship Had Struck A Rock

The Dollar liner President Taft, bound from San Francisco to New York, struck a giant whale when 1,027 miles northwest of Balboa.

"The impact was terrific," the liner's wireless operator messaged. "I thought we'd hit a rock. The boat trembled violently and the passengers all ran out on deck."

He said the whale appeared stunned after the shock and remained on the surface, forcing the President Taft to reverse and detour around it.

Teacher—"Now, if I write 'n-e-w' on the blackboard, what does that spell?"

Bright Beatrice—"New."

Teacher—"Now I'll put a 'k' in front of it and what have we?"

Bright Beatrice (quickly)—"Canoe."



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PLAN FOR WHEAT CONTROL UNDER QUOTA SYSTEM

Ottawa.—An individual quota system for western farmers to control wheat production under the world agreement, was proposed in the house of commons by Ernest E. Perley, Cons., Qu'Appelle, Sask. Farmers would be licensed to sell grain no Canada's 200,000,000-bushel world export quota would not be exceeded and compulsory acreage reduction would not be necessary.

The Saskatchewan member made his proposal when continuing the address debate. It would involve co-operation from the provinces, in fact they would assume administrative control. The first step would be to add domestic wheat requirements to the export total and divide this by the number of acres to be seeded in the west this spring. This would give the estimated bushels per acre to be reduced, probably about 15 on an acreage of 21,000,000. The figure 15 forms the basis of the scheme.

Individual farmers then would be issued permits, based on sworn statements as to acreage.

If, for instance, a farmer seeded 100 acres and the expected production was 15 bushels, his permit would enable him to sell 1,500 bushels. If his crop exceeded that total, he could purchase the permit of another farmer whose crop did not come up to average. If, for instance, the western total crop exceeded the export total of 200,000,000 bushels and the average domestic requirement of 125,000,000 bushels, the surplus above the licensed sales would remain on the farms and would not depress exchange prices.

Sankey Cheats The Law

Hangs Himself In Cell In South Dakota Penitentiary

Sioux Falls, S.D.—Verne Sankey, kidnapper and gangster, called "America's public enemy No. 1," cheated the law by committing suicide.

He hanged himself with two neckties in his cell at the South Dakota state penitentiary here, where he was held on federal charges of conspiracy to kidnap for \$50,000 ransom last February, Charles Boettcher II, Denver broker.

The body of the one-time rail-roader of Melville, Sask., was found by a guard stationed in a corridor nearby. The notorious outlaw, after fashioning the crude noose with the flannel, knotted it to a bar, then stepped off his cot.

E. Neely, deputy United States marshal, one of the two guards assigned to Sankey's cell block, discovered the body. Although he had been in the corridor at the time, he was out of sight of Sankey.

Thus ended the law's plan to send Sankey to prison for life. His counsel, Ben B. Laake, Denver, had disclosed Sankey had planned to plead guilty to a charge of conspiracy to kidnap for ransom in the Boettcher case.

Claim To Be Investigated

Natural Resources Compensation To Be Discussed February 19

Edmonton.—Investigation by special commission of Alberta's claim to compensation for natural resources since the province was formed in 1905 is scheduled to get under way at Ottawa on February 19, according to information reaching here. Mr. Justice Tweedie of the Alberta supreme court will be Alberta's representative on the commission. Saskatchewan will be joined with Alberta in pressing for compensation.

Limit Cotton Marketing

Washington.—A long stride toward federal control of agriculture's output was taken through formal approval by Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace of the Bollard bill to limit cotton marketed in the United States during the 1934-35 season to 9,000,000 bales.

Supreme Judge Retires

Ottawa.—Mr. Justice Robert Smith has hidden farewell to his brother judges of the supreme court of Canada. A native of Cornwall, Ont., his retirement follows the reaching of the superannuation age of 70 years.

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Disorders In Paris

Inability To Balance Budget Factor In Internal Trouble

New York.—The serious disorders in Paris commanded undivided attention in Wall Street because of the importance of France in international finance and her position as leader of the "gold block" nations.

The consensus in banking quarters was that if the republic is forced to abandon the international gold standard it will be because of conditions centering chiefly around balancing of the budget, rather than a desire on the part of other nations to bring about such an eventuality by importing gold.

It was generally believed that if the country should declare any sort of ban against the export of gold, it would have an adverse effect in the major financial centers of the world for the time being.

Bankers who had studied the situation in France for some time believe the inability of the several French governments which have been in power in the last few months to balance the budget is the one factor more than anything else contributing to the internal upheaval. Important also, they pointed out, is the inflated price structure in the country and the unfavorable trade balance.

House Of Lords Reform

Lord Salisbury Moves For Consideration Of Reform Bill

London.—Lord Salisbury moved in the house of lords that a "humble" address be presented to the king "praying" his majesty to consent to consideration of a bill for reform of the house of lords.

Lord Salisbury took this step because he had been criticized when he first presented the bill last December 19 for usurping the prerogative of the king. He was told he should have sought permission of his majesty to introduce the measure. The bill would limit membership in the upper house to 320, of whom 150 would be hereditary peers, 150 chosen from outside the hereditary peerage, royal peers, a reduced number of bishops and law peers. Lord Salisbury said his scheme would give the lords sufficient powers to prevent the country being hurried into vast changes without time to consider them.

Welcomed At Naval Base

Prince George Starts Long Tour Of South Africa

Simonstown, South Africa.—With the customary naval ceremonial Prince George, who is starting a long tour of South Africa, was welcomed to the Simonstown naval base, headquarters of the African station of the royal navy.

After a civic reception, the king's youngest son visited the training ship General Botha and then went aboard the cruiser Dorsetshire, flagship of Vice-Admiral E. R. G. Evans—"Evans of the Broke."

Canberra, Australia.—Tentative arrangements announced for the visit several months hence of Prince George, who will also visit New Zealand, provide for his arrival at Freemantle on Oct. 4. He will come direct to Melbourne to attend ceremonial celebrations of Victoria state. Later he will visit all the other states.

Banking Committee

Fifty Members Who Will Compose Body Announced In House

Ottawa.—Of particular significance in view of the important banking legislation which will be considered during the present session, the names of the 50 members who will compose the banking and commerce committee have been announced in the house of commons.

Members from Saskatchewan include W. A. Beynon (Cons., Moose Jaw); C. E. Bothwell (Lib., Swift Current); T. F. Donnelly (Lib., Willow Bunch); E. R. MacMillan (Cons., Saskatoon); E. E. Perley (Cons., Qu'Appelle); and John Vallance (Lib., South Battleford).

Business Shows Improvement

Montreal.—There has been a distinct improvement in business in general during the past few months and this has been immediately reflected in the output of electricity for industrial purposes. James B. Morris, president of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Cons., told the annual meeting of shareholders.

Railway Amalgamation

This May Happen Unless Conditions Improve, Says Hon. Cahan

Ottawa.—Amalgamation of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian National Railway will be unavoidable unless there is considerable improvement in operations during the present year, Hon. C. H. Cahan, secretary of state, said in addressing the annual meeting of the Ottawa Women's Conservative Association and the Conservative Women's Forum.

The minister said he did not speak for the government in making this suggestion, but that it was his considered opinion there would be no alternative to fusion of the two great railroads unless conditions improved.

Elect Officers At Convention

Saskatchewan Man Heads Canadian Shorthorn Breeders' Association

Toronto.—The Canadian Shorthorn Breeders' Association in convention here, passed a resolution that all money paid in grants at various exhibitions must be paid over by the exhibitors on a proportionate basis to all winning animals and not on the prize list alone, as has been the practice.

The following officers were elected: President, N. M. Ross, Indian Head, Sask.; first vice-president, Duncan Marshall, Duncan, Ont.; second vice-president, William Walde, Stratford, Ont.; secretary-treasurer, G. E. Day, Guelph, Ont.

CATTLE EXPORT FROM CANADA TO BE GREATER

Calgary.—Jack Byers, manager of the Western Cattle Growers' Association, has received notice from Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, that cattle shipments to the United Kingdom equalling those of 1932 would be permitted this year until June 30. An announcement from Ottawa in December had stated that exports for the first three months of 1934 would be restricted to those in the same period of 1933.

In January, February and March of last year a total of 7,563 beef animals left Canadian ports for the United Kingdom. To date this year nearly 5,000 head have gone to the overseas market and had the December ruling been followed, cattle men here say, exportations would have shortly ceased.

According to the statement from Ottawa 20,000 head of cattle will be permitted to enter the United Kingdom in the first six months of this year. In the first six months of 1933, 22,050 head left Canada, 9,667 of these being from western Canada of which 4,796 were from Alberta.

Byers said the situation for the last half of this year is still obscure. Advice from the United Kingdom indicates the quota against Irish and Canadian cattle has not had the desired effect, for British farmers' returns for home-produced beasts have not been increased, he said.

ANOTHER POLITICAL PARTY FORMED IN ENGLAND



Our picture shows the leader of the newly-formed United British Party, Cecil Serocold Skeels, an organization opposed to the fascists, seated in his office in London. Note the large Union Jack and a portrait of King George VI. Skeels, who will be the party's candidate in the coming by-election at Cambridge, says the United British Party is a "National Loyalist movement" which has been formed to take immediate action against the menace of a socialist dictatorship and the dark powers of delay, apathy and obstruction.

MAYOR RINFRET



Of Montreal, who with the city executive, has decided to ask the Quebec Legislature to amend the city charter so that in 1935 and thereafter elections will take place the second Monday of November instead of in April as at present.

Recall Revolution

Rioting In Paris Brings Back Memories Of Fateful Days Of 1871

Paris.—As mobs continued rioting in Paris, despite steps towards formation of a cabinet of national union, oldsters recalled the fateful communal revolution of 1871 when Frenchmen fought against Frenchmen in Paris, virtually under the eyes of the new German conquerors.

The Franco-German war ended with the capitulation of Paris, Jan. 29, 1871, after a five-month siege and bombardment.

On March 8, two weeks after the Germans had formally occupied Paris for two days, the commons was proclaimed; in other words, Paris was declared independent of any government except that chosen of its own people, regardless of any outside or central power.

The revolutionaries took over affairs and then began the second siege of Paris, a siege by French troops while victorious German troops looked on. The communards massacred foremost citizens, destroyed many fine buildings. The punishment was ruthless; 20,000 men and women were slain in the streets before the government regained control.

Seriously Injured In Riot

Senator Menier Of Paris Once Well-Known In Britain

Paris.—Senator Gaston Menier, wealthy chocolate manufacturer, was beaten during the rioting in the Place de la Concorde. Knocked down and kicked, his condition was reported serious.

Senator Menier, seriously injured during the height of the Paris riots, used to be well-known in Canada where he formerly owned the large island of Anticosti, in the St. Lawrence river.

Probe U.S. Army Contracts

Washington.—United States army contracts, already laden with trouble, for at least three persons the administration accuses of lobbying for them, will become the vehicle for another congressional inquiry.

Simon Issues Warning

If Disarmament Efforts Fall Britain Must Strengthen Army

London.—Clear notice that if present disarmament efforts fail and a state of unlimited rearmament follows, the United Kingdom will have to reconsider the present levels of her own army, was sounded in the house of commons by Sir John Simon, foreign secretary.

Sir John, speaking in debate on disarmament, stressed the revised British plan for disarmament was a realistic plan seeking a reasonable compromise. He declared it would be followed up by a visit of Anthony Eden, lord privy seal, to Paris, Rome and Berlin to make sure the British proposals were completely understood.

The British belief that Germany's claim to equality of rights must be recognized before any progress can be made with all-round limitation and reduction of armaments was also set forth by Sir John. There was little likelihood of any peace while a great nation was held in subjection, he added.

Riding The Rods

Youth Is Killed Under Wheels Of Train At Jasper

Jasper, Alta.—R.C.M.P. were investigating the death of Bill Ross, 16, Edmonton, who died under the wheels of a train in the Jasper yards after he had jumped from the tender of the engine.

With Alex. Hadden, Jasper, he was returning from Vancouver and was "riding the rods" between the tender and the first car. It is believed that he struck a slipper; snow bank and skidded down to the rails. Hadden, when the train stopped at the station, returned to find the lifeless body.

INTEREST CUT IS URGED TO SPEED UP BUSINESS

Ottawa.—Dramatic changes in the general financial policy of Canada were urged on the Bennett government by one of its supporters in the house of commons, James H. Stitt, Cons., Belkirk, Man. He suggested compulsory reduction of interest, conversion of government bonds at lower interest rates and the issuing of \$100,000,000 in cash to establish a reconstruction purchasing board.

Canada stood at the economic cross-roads, the Manitoba member said, urging the government to accept the measures proposed by George Coote, United Farmer member for MacLeod. It proposed a large scale national building program financed by new currency, to escape interest charges. No decision was made on the Coote motion, the debate not being closed.

"There is an issue facing the government to-day, the like of which has never faced any government in Canada," said Mr. Stitt.

"To the extent to which the government faces that issue it will be either victorious or defeated and the great mass of the Canadian people will be enhanced or the opportunity lost."

Uncontrolled inflation was not acceptable to him, the Manitoba member continued, but "I believe the kind of preaching of sound money we have had this country is wholly unsound. It has been sweet sounding for the receivers of interest but it has meant fury for the masses of Canadians."

If the government placed \$100,000,000 behind a reconstruction purchasing board, Canadian industry would receive \$1,000,000,000 in new orders, Mr. Stitt predicted. The board would act as a hopper, where farmers could place orders and receive goods, attaching liens on their property without interest. The orders would go to Canadian manufacturers, financed by the \$100,000,000 fund.

Canadians were being placed in aridism by "tame straight-jacket of interest," Mr. Stitt said, advocating compulsory rate reductions. He proposed legislation cutting 35 per cent off interest rates payable in Canada under all forms of contract. In addition, Canada might approach United States owners of Canadian bonds through the international joint commission, seeking one-third reduction rates in that country. Overtures might be made to English owners of Canadian bonds.

ALBERTA WILL MAKE MOVE TO STABILIZE PRICES

Edmonton, Alta.—Extension of public utilities board powers to various products to stabilize prices and avoid unfair competition, was announced in the speech from the throne, read by Hon. W. L. Walsh, lieutenant-governor of Alberta, at the opening of the legislature.

Certain projected highways are to be undertaken as part of an unemployment relief program, it is hoped.

The speech contains the announcement of a broadening of the Debt Adjustment act, passed in 1933, to meet the needs of other classes of debtors, besides protected resident farmers and home owners. In order to extend the operation of the act in this respect, certain amendments to the federal Bankruptcy act will be sought.

The proposal to extend the powers of the public utilities board will arouse much debate. Under powers given last year, the board conducted an investigation into milk prices. Some months ago there were suggestions the board should extend price fixing to bread.

Now the government proposes that the principle of last year's legislation be "extended" to other products and to the distribution of other commodities in order that unfair competition may be avoided, that prices to producers may be stabilized, that fair wages may be paid and the price to the consumer maintained at a just and equitable level.

The legislature will be asked to ratify the action of the government in extending to farmers the period for making payments under the Tax Consolidation act. The speech also forecasts certain changes in this act.

Bremer Is Freed

Details Of Ransom Payment Are Not Revealed

St. Paul.—Freedom, bought and paid for with a fortune in money, was Edward G. Bremer's again when he returned from 22 days in a kidnapper's lair, wounded and exhausted.

The full \$200,000 ransom, \$85,000 in \$5 bills and the rest in \$10 bills, was delivered by Walter Magee after a hitch in previous plans for payment had thwarted arrangements arousing fresh anxiety among the family that Bremer might never return.

Magee, wealthy contractor friend, who received the first ransom note January 17 when the banker was seized, was sworn to secrecy and would not reveal details of the ransom payment.

Manitoba Session Opens

Revision Of Statutes Is Foreseen In Throne Speech

Winnipeg.—Revision and consolidation of provisions in regard to taxation powers of municipalities, consideration of legislation to give greater uniformity in laws relating to succession duties and revision of other statutes were forecast in the speech from the throne, delivered by Lieut.-Governor J. D. McGregor, at the opening of the second session of the 19th Manitoba legislature.

The unemployment problem continued grave, with one out of every ten in Manitoba receiving relief, and providing necessary funds was becoming increasingly burdensome.

Highway Accidents

Philadelphia.—Take it from Captain W. J. Ruch, of the state highway patrol, there is no necessity for the modern automobile to be geared up to more than 50 miles an hour because "the average man is not physically or mentally capable of driving at greater speeds." That, says the troop commander, is the explanation for most accidents.

Amendment To Marking Act

Ottawa.—Designed to prevent deceptions in the marking of articles manufactured from precious metals, a bill amending the Precious Metals Marking act, passing through its committee stage in the house of commons, now stands for third reading.

Would Not Mean Inflation

Some Change From Existing Order Might Stabilize Currency

At the present time there is outstanding something like \$173,000,000 of Dominion notes, against which gold held by the government amounts to about \$70,000,000, or about 40 per cent. The delegates to the World Economic Conference held that a gold reserve of 25 per cent. against these notes should be sufficient. On that basis, therefore, the gold reserve held by Canada should permit of an issue of \$278,000,000 of Dominion notes, or approximately \$100,000,000 of notes in excess of the existing issue.

There are those who believe—and the prime minister appears to be of them—that this possible \$100,000,000 of extra notes should be issued. It is argued by some that instead of issuing and selling bonds to the public to take care of current government indebtedness, the government ought to pay these debts with this \$100,000,000 of new currency. Others think it should be used to finance a program of public works. In either event, the money would be good money. And it wouldn't be inflation. It may be just as well that we get some of these things in our minds. No one wants inflation. Only a lunatic would want uncontrolled inflation. But we ought not to hold the idea that any change whatsoever from the existing order must mean inflation, and we certainly ought not to be terrified by the mere word "inflation." The actual fact is that some of the most conservative of money men hope that in doing what he is doing President Roosevelt is laying the foundation upon which Britain, the United States and Canada may stabilize their currencies, and stabilize them with a gold content and upon a gold standard that will work—Ottawa Journal.

Canada's Resources

Large Variety Of Non-Metallic Minerals Found In Dominion

A variety of non-metallic minerals are found in Canada. The Dominion is the leading producer of asbestos, has the largest tail output in the British Empire, and is one of the three mica-producing nations. The Dominion is an exporter of talc, gypsum, salt, arsenic, diatomite, and graptolites, and a producer of sodium sulphate, natural and artificial abrasives, magnesite, silica, moulding sands, soapstone, phosphate and many others. Minerals known to occur rather extensively include barite, chromite, sulphur (pyrites), volcanic dust, and garnet. Development of these minerals is largely in the initial stages. To the foregoing should be added structural materials which are generally classed as non-metallics and which include clay, sand and gravel, limestone, granite, and marble. Occurrences of these are abundant in Canada and in the main are of excellent quality.

Harmless Explosion

But Taking Of Flashlight Photo Gives Important Personages A Scar

The Archbishop of Canterbury and the famed Codex Sinaiticus, \$500,000 fourth century Biblical manuscript, figured in a harmless explosion at the British museum recently.

His Grace was standing with Sir Frederick Kenyon, director of the museum, and distinguished clerics and laymen beside the codex while a photographer prepared to take a picture.

Something went wrong with the flashlight apparatus. There was a terrific bang and the sound of shattering glass. The company jumped in alarm but no one was hurt and the picture was taken with another apparatus.

Using Mulberry Leaves

Mulberry leaves, the food of the silkworm, are to be used in making paper in a factory which is to be built in Saumtsu, Kwangtung Province, China. More than 4,000 tons of the leaves will be consumed every year, and as local growers will receive an additional profit of \$3.50 an acre the new idea will trip those who have suffered from the drop in silk prices.

An elderly lady was asked which she thought were happier, people who were married or people who were not.

"Well, I don't know," she said. "Sometimes I think there are as many in that ain't as in that is."

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FAMOUS AEROPLANE COMES TO IGNORABLE END



The Columbia, one of the most famous aeroplanes in existence and survivor of some dangerous flights in aviation history, has come to the end of a long trail only to be destroyed by fire at Wilmington, Del. This single-engine motorized veteran of the skies was built in 1925 and two years later made history in one of the early refueling endurance flights. In 1927, piloted by Clarence Chamberlain, the Columbia flew from New York to Elisabeth, Germany, in a non-stop flight over the Atlantic, to set a long-distance non-stop record of 5,911 miles. In 1930 she again braved the Atlantic, piloted by the Canadian aviator, Captain Boyd, and succeeded in landing on the Scilly Islands, off the English coast. Our pictures show the Columbia arriving at Croydon at the end of her second Atlantic trip. The fire that finished her was caused by a grass fire.

Bovine Tuberculosis Control

Re-Test Work Necessary In Order To Make Satisfactory Progress

Material progress has been made in Canada in the control of bovine tuberculosis, and the encouragement in this demand for action through the adoption of more aggressive and liberal policies has resulted in the Dominion Department of Agriculture obtaining the co-operation of public health bodies, dairymen and live stock owners. The demand for this work has increased to such an extent that in recent years this problem has been the controlling factor in regard to the personnel and expenditure of the field division of the Health of Animals Branch. The work has exceeded the resources of the branch and it has consequently been necessary to limit the activities of the branch in this most important undertaking.

"I desire," says the veterinary director general in his annual report just issued, "to particularly point out that this work is accumulative. Herds under the single herd policy are tested at least once annually, while, in area work, general retests may be deferred in areas with a negligible incidence of infection for a period of three years but no longer."

"We cannot hope to make satisfactory progress unless careful attention is paid to re-test work. With nearly two million cattle under the policies of the department of agriculture, re-test work has reached large proportions, and consequently must limit materially the number of initial tests which can be undertaken with our present staff. In addition to the general re-tests in areas and the annual re-tests of herds under the accredited herd and supervised herd plans, initial tests of cattle for entry into these areas and herds must be undertaken.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Fortune From Pennies

Daughter Of Crimean Veteran Leaves Large Estate

Emily Smith, solitary old woman in England who lived in one of the poorest parts of Fuddington on the upper reaches of the Thames, left an estate of more than \$250,000, it was shown when the will of the late spinster was probated. It all started from pennies, too. She was the daughter of a veteran of the Crimea who was given charge of the famous Garden Maze at Hampton Court palace, with the privilege of charging for admission, in recognition of his exploits. The estate gathered by this means was largely increased by the shrewd investments of Emily Smith.

Good News For Patients

Ice cream every day for all children patients of Mommouth Memorial hospital at Long Branch, New Jersey, is provided for in the will of Park M. Woolley, of New York and Long Branch. Woolley, whose estate is expected to total several millions of dollars, died in New York on January 10 after suffering from arthritis for 25 years.

Wasting English Opera

St. Thomas Beecham, noted conductor and critic of the world of music, calls opera in England "a wasteful." "There is no future at all for opera here or for opera singers," he told the society of musicians, "and it is best to face the fact."

The Shah of Persia is reported to have the most expensive automobile in the world, it having cost \$125,000, the switchboard and steering wheel being studded with diamonds, sapphires and rubies, and the clock inlaid with gems.

Heligoland Island Neglected

Usefulness To Germany As Giant Fortress Is Over

Heligoland Island, which Germany fortified to guard the entrance to the Elbe river, the shelter of the Kaiser's warships, against the British fleet, is crumbling away, slowly but surely. Almost every year, during the stormy season, thousands of cubic meters of rock fall into the sea which incessantly is gnawing away at the soft sandstone strata of the island. The latest large slide occurred early in December, when, following a heavy gale, 4,000 cubic meters of rock dropped into the sea. Since 1925, approximately 30,000 cubic meters thus have been eaten away.

Heligolanders are demanding that Germany do something about it, the suggestion being that the ramparts constructed in the days before the big far-up in Europe be strengthened further under the government's program for procuring work for the unemployed.

This bit of news recalls the transfer of Heligoland Island in 1890 to the Germans by Britain in exchange for the island of Zanzibar in East Africa. Immediately afterwards the Germans started to construct heavy ramparts to protect the island from the incursions of the sea and also build thereon forts of exceptional power, offensive and defensive. This cost the Prussian state treasury at the time a fortune several times over. But since the German fleet went to its rest in Scapa Flow and the Kaiser is chopping wood in Holland the island's usefulness as a giant fort has disappeared and it is being neglected.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

To Assist Indians

Wants Plan To Aid Native Arts And Industries

Rev. George Haley, of Sarnia, B.C., was in Toronto recently with a new idea for rehabilitation of the Canadian Indian. He would like to see an association of national leaders organized to aid native arts and industries as a means of promoting the Indian's financial and communal security.

Dr. Haley credited the Prince of Wales with being the best booster in recent years for products of the west coast Indians. The Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire asked the Prince a Cowichan sweater, with the immediate result that 60 orders were received for such sweaters.

"If you want to spend a chilly week," says a traveller, "pay a visit to Siberia." Another method is to bring a crowd of the boys home to supper.

Using Steel Scaffolding

Builders In England Find It Better Than Wood

Development of the use of steel scaffolding in Great Britain indicates a possible development in Canadian construction, according to W. D. Lambie, Winnipeg, deputy British trade commissioner.

The steel scaffolding is being used in England as a substitute for the familiar wooden scaffolding with rope fastenings. The steel adds an element of safety to building hitherto lacking.

The new British steel product is available from hangarous or for skyscrapers. Recently when the British house of parliament at Westminster was repaired, pictures show steel scaffolding was used and created a graceful screen of tracery over the historic buildings.

Especially interesting, Mr. Lambie adds, is the wide variety of uses to which the new units can be turned. They form the framework of the grandstands from which eager spectators view the famous "Tramping of the Colours" on the Horse Guards parade in London, and they figure prominently in film studios where their advantages as camera supports for taking difficult shots have brought them into high favor. In railway stations, shipbuilding yards, sports arenas and exhibition halls they are finding innumerable uses, and in short represent a development of the British steel industry well worth watching.

The Biggest Objection

Lottaries Take Money That Poor Families Cannot Spare

Leaving moral or ethical questions out of consideration altogether, the objection to a lottery for the purpose proposed is that it would place the main burden of unemployment relief upon the classes least able to carry the load. The great bulk of lottery money in all countries comes from the poorest classes, and represents in most cases involuntary sacrifice on the part of the family of the subscriber to the lottery—food taken from the mouths of undernourished children, or women and children deprived of warm clothes they might have had.—Winnipeg Tribune.

Nominated For Peace Prize

The nomination of Marshal Joseph Pilsudski, minister of war in Poland, as a candidate for the Nobel peace prize was sent to the Nobel Foundation by the law department of Jactonian university of Warsaw. The recommendation said Pilsudski's foreign policies promoted general peace.

FANCIFUL FABLES

THE HOCKEY PLAYER WHO HAD A PASSION FOR GOLF



Pleasure Being Missed By This Generation

Custom Of Sunday Afternoon Walk Is Out Of Date

Some customs and institutions pass away so swiftly and completely that a succeeding generation can scarcely realize to what extent such a custom was once prevalent, and how much it cost the generation that came before.

The boys and girls, younger men and women, who live in the cities can not appreciate how much the pastime known as the Sunday afternoon walk once meant to people who are now along in years. This diversion is not to be compared to what is now known as "hiking"; the Sunday afternoon walk was not so strenuous and energetic as this latter-day form of leg-exercise.

The modern hiker expects some tangible returns on his investments. He is out for air and exercise and he proposes to get them. Over the hill and dale along the country road he stretches his legs and the more tired he gets the better he likes it. Though he has no particular destination in mind and sets no time limit on his performance, the modern hiker is none the less a very business-like person.

Not so the Sunday afternoon walker of a generation ago. His was a leisurely proceeding. He was in search neither of romantic scenery nor of violent exercise. His performance consisted of nothing more strenuous than an amiable ambling through parts of the city into which he did not venture every day, or perhaps his stroll took him a short way out into the country.

But it is gone, this custom. One by one conditions changed as mechanical inventions came in to cut us off from this simple pleasure. We have become hot in our pursuit of pleasure diversions; we must be always going somewhere, and when we get there we must either be entertained or hurry off elsewhere.

The Weekly Newspaper

One Of The Most Potent Factors In Our National Existence

Turning from the city newspapers to the small town press exchanges that come to the editor's desk is like stepping from the slums, full of vice, into an old fashioned garden sweet with lavender and thyme and the scent of perennial flowers. The pages of the big cities are so full of murder, misery, immorality and selfishness that the better news is obscured by these glaring shatterings of the Decalogue. One puts the papers aside with a feeling of depression and heartache that the world is so full of terrible and unhappy things.

Then pick up the papers that come to the small town press exchanges around us, one gains renewed faith in life. Here are set forth only that which uplifts a community—the activities of the business men, the church items, the happy social gatherings of the people, the marriages, births and deaths, farmers' items and all the household and one daily occurrences that make up the simple annals of the great common people, who are really the foundation of this broad country of ours.

Scandals are rarely published in the country newspapers, but if it so happens that decency demands it, the uglier details are omitted, or given a kindly touch that is widely different from the unfeeling publicity of the city press. The offenders may be our neighbors or people we have rubbed elbows with all our lives. They are real human beings to their town people, while to the great city dwellers they are merely grains of a sort that are ground out hourly in their news mills.

Sometimes people speak lightly of the country newspaper, but it is one of the most potent and uplifting factors in our national existence.—Christian Science Monitor.

Is Not A Gift

Young women contemplating matrimony, will be interested in knowing that a Chicago court has held that an engagement ring is not a gift, and must be returned if the marriage ceremony is not performed. This ruling was made by Municipal Judge Howard Hayes in a suit brought by Lewis Howell for recovery of a ring given his girl friend, who allegedly broke the engagement.

District Visitor—"I thought the doctor put you on a light diet, Lizzie?"
Lizzie—"I've 'ad me diet, Miss Smith, and now I'm 'aving me dinner."

First Microscope Simple

Crude Magnifiers Were Used By Ancient Gem Cutters

Some sort of magnifier must have been in use from very early times, for it does not seem possible that the ancient gem cutters could have accomplished their work without some aid. Possibly it consisted of a glass globe filled with water, for Seneca wrote in A.D. 65: "Letters however small and dim, are comparatively large and distinct when seen through a glass globe filled with water."

It is probable, too, that lenses of glass were also used, though the first mention of spectacles in which convex glasses were employed is made by Bernard de Gordon about 1307.

The first microscopes were very simple in construction, consisting of short tubes of any material that would not admit the light, with a lens at one end and a glass plate was laid the object to be examined. Descartes invented such a simple microscope in which the rays of light were reflected on the object by means of a concave mirror.

The highest development of the simple microscope was reached in the employment of lenses of very short focus. Robert Hook, Curator of the Royal Society when it was first formed in 1662, made these lenses by fusing a thread of glass until it formed a tiny ball, the ball was then snapped off, stuck into wax and the remains of the stalk ground away. The tiny balls were then fixed with wax into a pin hole made in a metal plate.

Far better lenses than these, however, were made by Anthony van Leeuwenhoek, the father of microscopy. This old Dutch investigator spent a long life in perfecting his microscope and making observations with it. His instrument reached such a degree of perfection that he was able to see with ease the minute creatures existing in the waters of ponds, and even caught a glimpse of the still more minute bacteria.

The idea of combining two lenses in a microscope or a telescope, one concave and the other convex, has been attributed to several different inventors, but it is usually accepted that the discovery was accidentally made by a Dutch boy named Zacharias, who worked in the shop of his father, a spectacle maker. The great Italian scientist Galileo became acquainted with the principles of Zacharias' instrument and immediately set to work to produce one for himself. Understanding the scientific theory of its action he rapidly surpassed everything that had previously been produced.

Then followed great number of investigators who constantly modified and improved the instruments they used.

Prefer Advertised Goods

Public Forgets Brands It Does Not Read About

Widespread preference by the nation's consumers for persistently advertised products was revealed in a survey of consumer requirements in four major markets—New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Milwaukee—conducted by J. David Houser Associates, research organization, under the auspices of Camel Brothers, Inc., operating department stores in the four cities.

Of twenty-four products in the wearing apparel and household furnishing groups, branded and nationally advertised merchandise were found specifically in demand. Long known branded goods on which advertising has been curtailed, however, were found to yield their popularity to products being extensively exploited at the moment.

Wool Stalk Works Opened

After an idleness of nearly two years Brynno stalk works in North Wales is resuming, and employment has been given to more than 100 men. Sir Henry Robertson, chairman of the company, said it is hoped to put all former employees back to work shortly.

The Strongest Timber

The yale, one of Australia's most ferocious hard woods, seems to be the strongest known timber, with an average tensile strength of 2,000 pounds to the square inch and a maximum as high as 35,000—equal to cast and wrought iron.

The Netherlands may enter a tie-breeding contest.

Dr. S. H. McClelland
Veterinary Surgeon
Honorary Graduate, Ontario Veterinary College
Office—McClelland's Retail Drug Store, Phone 3 Crossfield

Council Meetings

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council,
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

Canadian Legion B. E. S. L.

Crossfield Branch
Meets on the last Saturday of each month in the Fire Hall at 2 p.m.
Visiting Comrades Welcome.
D. J. HALL R. D. SUTHERLAND
President Secretary

DENTIST

Dr. HARVEY D. DUNCAN,
218a, 5th Ave. W., opposite Palace Theatre, Calgary

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relief in 3 minutes

Many people who have suffered for years from indigestion do not know that too much acid in the stomach often is the cause of digestive discomfort.

Bisma-Res is a new antacid powder that acts four ways to give quick relief. It neutralizes excess acid, relieves the stomach of gas, soothes irritated stomach membranes and aids digestion of foods most likely to ferment.

McClelland's Drug Store
The Retail Store
Phone 3 Crossfield

Classified Advertisements

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Black Poll Bull. Apply to C. Asmusen, Crossfield.

LOST—A horse blanket near Crossfield. Finder will please leave at the Chronicle office.

TAKEN UP—On sec. 20-28-27, 1 grey, gender, tail trimmed. Owner will remove same and pay for this ad. C. Kotaluk

FOR SALE—3 unbanded young gobblers and one banded B old gobbler. Mrs. N. J. Casey

FOR SALE—Some farm horses. E. Bills, Crossfield

FOR SALE—Child's Simmons Crib in good condition. Apply to Mrs. O. Bills

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Gilt. Apply to Simon Cameron, Phone 1410

FOR SALE—A stack of Oak Straw. Chas. Nielsen
2 Miles North of Crossfield

FOR SALE—One 14 inch 3 bottom Oliver Tractor Plow. Apply to N. A. Johnson

WANTED TO RENT OR PURCHASE—Half section of land with buildings in the Crossfield district. Apply to A. SWANBY, Madden

FOR SALE—Bronze Turkey Toms at \$3.00 each, for the next two weeks. Mrs. H. McCool

A BARGAIN—Model A Ford Coach 1925, in A1 shape, Cheap for cash. Apply at Chronicle office.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS REPAIRED—Hand-made Leather Goods, Basket Weaving, Musical Instruments Repaired. Leave orders at Chronicle Office. ARCHIE ANDERSON

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CARD OF THANKS

Mr. S. M. Hibler, Cecil Campbell, Mrs. L. B. Berdoes and family wish to thank all friends and neighbors for the sympathy and kindness shown in their recent sad bereavement occasioned by the passing of their wife and mother; Mrs. Ellen Hibler.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shiedal, on February 14, 1934, a daughter.

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THURSDAY, Feb. 15, 1934.

Local News

Wm. Fenwick was a visitor in Disabury on Saturday.

Get your Contract and Auction Score Pads at the Chronicle office.

Mrs. R. G. Gibson spent the week-end in Calgary.

It may not be spring yet, but Harry May has his spring crop of lambs coming.

A. A. Halliday spent the first of the week in Edmonton visiting his sister who is seriously ill.

Mack Purvis of Acme spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Purvis.

Mrs. W. McRory left (today) Thursday to visit her daughter at Macleod.

Issac Morris of Okotoks, former Crossfield farmer, was renewing acquaintances in town on Friday.

Jim Williams has sold a new M. H. 24 run combination grain and fertilizer drill to O. E. Jones.

A landmark since the early days was removed this week when Mark Cameron pulled down the tower from the old Chisholm Castle.

Hugh McBain former livery stable operator here passed through town last week on his way to Airdrie where he will reside.

Keep in mind the dance in East Community Hall on Friday night of this week. Music by the Melody Boys.

A meeting will be held in the U. F. A. Hall on March 1st to be addressed by speakers from the Dept. of Agriculture.

We have had six weeks of mild spring-like weather and there is no sign of an immediate change, although Dr. Whillans states that it will be cold in March.

E. W. Comben has rented his farm to Otto Faas. Mr. Comben has retired for an indefinite period.

Rudolph Faas will farm the Mrs. Wigle place.

Keep in mind the Board of Trade luncheon on Tuesday evening. We understand the ladies are putting on a chicken supper with all the trimmings.

The Olds Board of Trade have accepted the invitation of the local Board of Trade to attend the banquet on Tuesday evening and it is expected that two auto loads will be down.

Let's hope that certain ratepayers attending the annual meeting of the M. D. of Rossbud will not occupy the pulpit all the time to the exclusion of others who come a long way and are equally interested in the welfare of the district.

A large number of friends were at the station Thursday (today) to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. W. Major and Vivian who are returning to their old home in Scarborough, Yorkshire, England. The Major family have resided in Crossfield for the past eight years and they will be greatly missed in this community.

P. H. Fleming has bought three lots cornering on Ross Street and Mountain Avenue from the United Church. This property was formerly owned by the Presbyterian Church and a start was made in the early days at building a church, the foundation was put down, and that was as far as it went. We understand Mr. Fleming has let the contract for a modern six-roomed bungalow.

Hear Report of Annual Convention
The regular monthly meeting of the Floral Local U. F. W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. W. W. Stafford on Wednesday afternoon. Twenty-one members and four visitors were present.

Mrs. O. E. Jones gave a very interesting report of the annual convention.

It was arranged to hold the annual St. Patrick's Dance on Friday, March 16th.

Successful Birthday Tea
A very successful Ladies' Aid tea and social gathering was held at the manse on Tuesday afternoon. The guests of honor were Mrs. W. McRory, Mrs. McCool, Mr. Mrs. L. L. Mason and Mrs. T. Smeaton.

Mrs. J. Schofield rendered several piano selections and solo were sung by Mrs. W. Laut and Mrs. P. Fleming.

FORM "C" The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) Sale & Redemption of Impounded Animals (Sec. 48)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that the following—1 Brown Mare branded LC on left shoulder, age 6, was impounded in the pound kept by H. Cano, located on the N. W. 21-28-3-W-3M on the 15th day of Jan. A.D. 1934, and that the said animal was sold on the 3rd day of February 1934 to C. A. Salisbury of Dog Pound Alta. and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, or upon payment of all fees and costs due to the Municipality and to the purchasers of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.
G. B. HUNTER,
Secretary-Treasurer of the Municipal District of Beaver Dam, No. 281,
Post Office Dog Pound, Alta.

Annual Meeting of Crossfield S. D. No. 752

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Crossfield School District No. 752 will be held on Monday, February 19th, 1934, at the Fire Hall at 2 p.m., for the purpose of electing one trustee and hearing reports and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

F. T. Baker, Chairman.
Wm. Laut, Sec.-Treas.

HERE AND THERE

Four packages of salts was one of the prizes in the Consolation Event at the Carstairs bazaar. They must play the running game instead of the draw.

One of our citizens who peddles milk worked against the milk by-law because he had paid \$40 for a cow and if she did not stand the T. T. test he would cut of pocket about \$30.00. Now, that is really too bad.

Carstairs had a record poll at the school election including all the Chinese except one who hid under the bed thinking an arrest was being made. That's the way to get votes when you have an axe to grind.

What is needed in Alberta is a Provincial Boxing Commission. If the public were given a run for their money this great sport could be revived.

J. Munro, Carstairs, has installed a 16000 egg electric incubator at his poultry farm to take of additional orders for custom hatching.

A pleasant Valentine party on behalf of the Junior branch of the Women's Auxiliary was held at the rectory Tuesday evening when fourteen members sat down to a dainty supper, which was enjoyed by all present. At the close of the supper a beautiful bouquet of flowers was presented by some members to their Superintendent, Mrs. Currie.

This came as a great surprise to Mrs. Currie, who wishes to take this opportunity of thanking all those who subscribed. After a few games were played the children adjourned to their homes tired but happy.

An interesting event took place in the Anglican Church on Tuesday when the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hunter was baptised. The name being Maria Joan. Miss Jean Arnott, Mrs. Major and W. Major were the God-parents. Among those attending were Mrs. Mossop, Mrs. Devins, Mrs. Ivor Lewis, Mrs. Arnott, Mrs. Friak and Mrs. Currie. The christening robe worn for the occasion was made by the infants great-grandmother.

At the conclusion of the ceremony Mrs. D. McFadyen entertained to tea at her residence.

When the great plants of our cities Have turned out their last finished work When our merchants have sold their last yard of silk And dismissed the last dirl clerk When our banks have raked in their last dollar And paid the last dividend; When the Judge of the earth says, "Close for the night," And asks for a balance—

WHAT THEN?

Church of the Ascension (Anglican)
February 15th
11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
Sunday School every Sunday at 11.00.
A. D. Currie

United Church Services
On Sunday, Feb. 18th services will be held as follows:
Crossfield—Sunday School at 2 p.m. in charge of Mr. W. Gibson
Preaching service in the evening at 7.30
Service at Rodney School at 11.00 a.m.
Everybody welcome.
Rev. E. Longmire, Minister

Baptist Church
Morning Service - 11.00 a.m.
Evening Service - 7.30 p.m.
Sunday School after morning service.
Come and bring your friends.
Earl V. Phillips, Pastor

The School Corner

(Edited by the School Reporter)

BASKETBALL

Carstairs and Crossfield split a double-header on Saturday. The local boys won their game 21-17, but the Crossfield girls lost to Carstairs 20-0. The two boys teams were fairly evenly matched. At quarter time the score was 12-11 for Carstairs, then at half time 18-17 for Crossfield. In the last half Crossfield made two baskets making the score 21-17 for the locals. Lineup—The number after the players name shows the points received by him during the game. Guards, Frank Low, Tony Buteman; forwards, Stanley Pogue 4, Merle Heywood 8; Gordon Law, Ronnie McFadyen 4, Laverne Johnson 2; Jim McClelland.

The girls game was a one-sided affair. The Carstairs team had the locals baffled by their combination plays and straight shooting. Carstairs girls scoring were, B. Waterman 8, M. Stull 6, G. Shupe 4, V. Gough 2.

Line-up—Guards, Florence Cruickshank, Mildred Brandon; forwards, Isabel Goldie, Verna Pogue, Mildred McEhler, Margaret Fitzpatrick, Irene Jackson.

Room 4 had a very enjoyable Valentine Party for Vivian Major on Friday afternoon. After many games and the refreshments a beautiful scarf was given to Vivian.

St. Patrick's Tea
The ladies of the C. W. L. are planning to celebrate St. Patrick's Day—Saturday, March 17—by having a tea and sale of home baking, from 3 to 6, that afternoon, and also raffling off the quilt that is on display in A. Gordon's window. Chances on this quilt are 10c each or 3 for 25c.

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S. C. White Leghorns, from R.O.P. Flock, B.W.D.
Tested, per 100 \$11.00
Barred Rocks, from Selected Flocks, per 100 \$11.00
All Other Heavy Breeds, per 100 \$12.00
15 per cent Reduction on Chick Prices after May 1st.
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Dill Pickles, per dozen 25c

Crossfield Meat Market

LEN CHRISMAS